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**MEDIA ADVISORY FOR “UNDERCOVER” OPERATION**

**15 Law Enforcement Agencies Assemble Largest Shoulder Tap Decoy Operation Ever**

*Operation will cover three counties-Los Angeles, Orange and San Bernardino*

**Note to media: Please let the Los Angeles County Sheriff’s Department know by 9AM, Saturday, March 10 if you plan to ride-along, it will help with planning logistics. Thank you.**

**WHAT:** Largest Shoulder TAP Decoy Operation ever assembled in California. Police will target adults who furnish alcohol to minors.

**WHO:** ABC and the Los Angeles County Sheriff’s Department have organized a task force. This task force will consist of 15 departments (Norwalk, Ontario, Seal Beach, Fullerton, Downey, Artesia, Hawaiian Garden, Cerritos, Paramount, Buena Park, Lakewood East, Lakewood West, Bellflower, East LA and Whittier).

**WHEN:** Please arrive no later than 11:45am  
Saturday, March 10, 2007  
The law enforcement operation will take place from 12noon – 6pm

**WHERE:** Norwalk City Hall, 12700 Norwalk Blvd., Norwalk (City Hall)

**WHY:** To reduce youth access to alcohol and send a clear message that adults should not purchase or supply alcohol to persons under the age of 21

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